# Worship Service

11am in the Sanctuary

Choral Introit All Heaven Declares

#### **Silent Prayer**

#### Call to Worship SOF 40

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here, Come bow before Him now with reverence and fear. In Him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground; Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here.

**Invocation** Alain Fidelia

Hymn of Praise SDAH 12

Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee

I Got a Robe (arr John Rutter) Newbold Choir

**Tithes and Offerings** 

Children's Worship Amanda Brown

Pound in the Pot for the Development Fund

Family Prayer Alain Fidelia

**Meditation** How Deep the Father's Love Newbold Choir

**Scripture Reading** Acts 10:34-35 Andrew Clifton

**Sermon** The Equaliser Pastor Lolly Fontaine

Hymn of Commitment SDAH 320 Lord of Creation

A Clare Benediction Newbold Choir

**Reflection in Silent Meditation** 

Postlude Sandra Rigby-Barrett

Sunset Times

Today: 8:20pm Next Friday: 8:30pm (Watford)





**Development Fund Summary March 2018** 

	Jan-Dec 2017	Jan-Mar 2018
Opening balance	(1,106,373)	(903,592)
Donations/Fundraising	148,053	55,760
Gift Aid	65,548	4,854
Loan interest	(9,327)	(2,381)
Other Costs	(1,494)	(603)
Closing Balance	(903,592)	(845,962)

Estimated time to clear deficit: 4yrs 1mth (Apr 2022)

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#### Bulletin Deadline Wednesday 3pm

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**Sanctuary Reverence** Please be mindful to maintain reverence in the sanctuary after the service. Kindly use the Cedar-Sycamore Room for any conversations and avail yourself of the drinks on offer. After the service the sanctuary space is available for reflection and quiet communion with God.

**Photography** In line with our church policy, kindly refrain from photography during services.

28 April 2018

# Welcome to Stanborough Park Church



He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. Psalm 91:1



Seventh-day Adventist Church Stanborough Park 609 St Albans Road, Watford WD25 9JL

# Morning Prayer Meeting

9-9.30am in the Maple Room

## Sabbath School

9.45am

Welcome Nitish Khetavath
NAH 6 Praise to the Lord
Prayer Eustace Cornwall
Mission Story Joseph Cudjoe
Praise in Music People Need the Lord
Bible Study Salvation and the End Time
Mission Offering Tunde Adebayo
NAH 407 Jesu Lover of My Soul Reg Mayes
Prayer Nancy Khetavath

## Parallel Service

11am in the Cedar-Sycamore Room

Speaker Jacques Venter
"A Supernatural Inosculation"
Scripture Reading Ephesians 3:6
Praise Leader Chantal Alen
Coordinator Amanda Brown

# Announcements & Diary

The Family Ministries Prayer Basket is held by Pat Swan. We invite the church to pray for Pat and her family. Her request is that "God will grant me health and strength to continue to serve Him and especially to witness to my wider non-Adventist family. Also, to have the courage and wisdom to trust in God's promise that He will always be by my side.' "Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea I will help thee; yea I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness." Isaiah 41:10 KJV

**ADRA Annual Appeal** All badges, permits, collecting cans, come cans and coin cards need to be returned this weekend, please. Donations are still accepted and welcomed. If you require a home can for the rest of the year, this can be issued. A final total will be published as soon as all the funds have been returned. Thank you for your support and cooperation. They are greatly appreciated.

**Welfare department** There is still an urgent need for non-perishable foods such as cans, packets and jars.

**The Williams Hall** is available most weeks for small groups of family or friends to book for potluck lunches to which visitors to the church could be invited. If you can host a small potluck lunch, see Alix or email her to arrange a date: alix@enessar.co.uk

Senior Club needs help Would any members be willing to help the Senior Club Team by baking cakes once or twice a month? Several members from the community are no longer able to help in this way due to illness. Any help would be greatly appreciated; expenses incurred would be reimbursed. Please contact Joan Maxwell or Amanda Powell if you can help. Thank you.

**The Pathfinder Bible Experience** team praises God for travelling mercies and for success for both teams in the final test in the USA, achieving first place. Thank you for your prayers, and to all donors for their support.

**Food4Thought today at 1pm** Have you ever wondered what God has to say about justice in the world? Please join us in the Cedar Sycamore for a new initiative created for those who seek a space to ask difficult questions and wrestle with the answers. A light meal will be served.

**The Singing Group** will visit Fairway, 10 Highland, Greenland, South Oxhey WD19 4LX at 3.30pm today.

**Parents in Prayer** meet today at 4.30pm in the Maple Room. Come and join us as we pray for our children and grandchildren.

**Stargazing Family and Pathfinder event today** You are warmly invited to this interesting evening at 8pm in the Cedar-Sycamore Room. See Sunsiree or Jean Marc for details.

Church Clean-up and Maintenance tomorrow 29 April, between 9am and 12 noon. We need as many volunteers as possible, young and old, to help tidy up the church and carry out repairs and maintenance.

**Monday Bible Study: Revelation** 7.30-8.30pm in the Maple Room.

**Tuesday Bible Study: Hebrews** 10.30-11.30am in the Maple Room.

**Prayer Meeting** every Wednesday at 7.30pm.

**Agape Feast 4 May** at 7pm. Join us for an evening focused on the Holy Spirit including a time of worship, communion, and activity stations to help us grow in our understanding and appreciation of the Holy Spirit's role in our lives.

**The Soup Run** on Friday 4 May will be organised by the Watford Town Church. If you wish to go on the Soup Run, please contact Pat Walton. There is an urgent need for men's warm clothing and sleeping bags.

**Fellowship Lunch 5 May** Please book using the envelopes at the desk and place in the offering plate or email Fiona at fellowshiplunch7@gmail.com. Please book by 1 May.

**Pathfinders camping** Saturday 5 – Sunday 6 May.

**Adventurers** next club meeting is on 6 May.

**Heart to Heart Monday 7 May** Specialist cardiac nurse Kirra Moser will talk about the heart's functions and how to keep it healthy, and about blood pressure issues. Look out for the posters for more details.

**The Experience** The next programme will be held on Tuesday 8 May at 7pm.

Are you a millennial who struggles to articulate your faith to friends and colleagues? Maybe you're not sure how relevant the gospel is in 2018. The weekend of 11-13 May will be packed with inspiring workshops by Eddie Hypolite. Book your spot through Facebook or email a member of the pastoral team.

**Church Picnic 12 May** Bring your lunch for a picnic on Stanborough Park after the service. Space available indoors in case of bad weather.

**Next men's cycling event** is on Sunday 13 May. Meet at the back of the church at 9.30am for a 10am start. All abilities welcome. See Arto for details.

May Teatime Concert Sunday 20 May, 3pm by students and staff of Stanborough Park College of Music. The programme will include music by JS Bach, Scarlatti, Mozart, Schumann and Liszt. Afternoon tea to follow. Your continuing support of the College of Music is much appreciated. Do come along and bring your friends and neighbours to this delightful concert.